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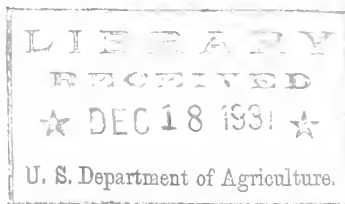
# Michigan Grown Gladiolus Bulbs

*Preferred by Those Who Know!*

OUR bulbs are grown especially for the wholesale trade from young, vigorous stock; high crown; true-to-name, up-to-grade, clean and healthy. We pay particular attention to Gladiolus adapted to florists' needs. On page 2 of this price list, you will find listed a group of Gladiolus that we especially recommend for forcing. On page 3 a list that have proven successful for outside culture as cut flowers. In ordering bulbs for forcing, kindly designate same on order and we will ship you stock especially harvested and cured for the purpose. For best results, do not plant earlier than January 15th. Our list contains all of the popular and best selling varieties at prices that will allow a good profit on the resale.

Our planting stocks are reliable, and the many varieties herein listed offer an opportunity to stock up on the colors and the novelties you need at the lowest prices in years.

**A. M. Grootendorst** WHOLESALE GROWER  
Benton Harbor, Michigan



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## Wholesale Price List Season 1931-32

### GLADIOLUS AND OTHER BULBS

**A. M. GROOTENDORST**  
Benton Harbor, Michigan

Return Postage Guaranteed

U. S. Department of Agriculture,  
Bureau of Plant Industry,  
Horticultural Crops and Diseases  
Washington, D. C.

## Terms and Conditions of Sale

Prices are all f. o. b. Benton Harbor, Michigan.

5% discount for cash with order.

2% ten days to customers of established credit; net thirty days.

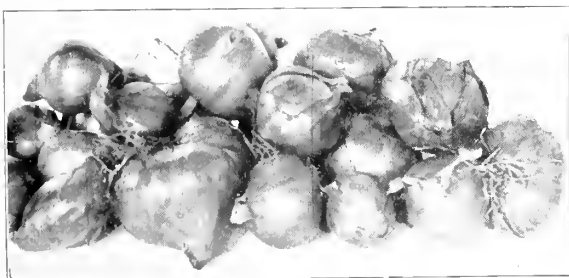
An extra 10% discount for 5000 of one variety or 10,000 assorted.

No charge for containers.

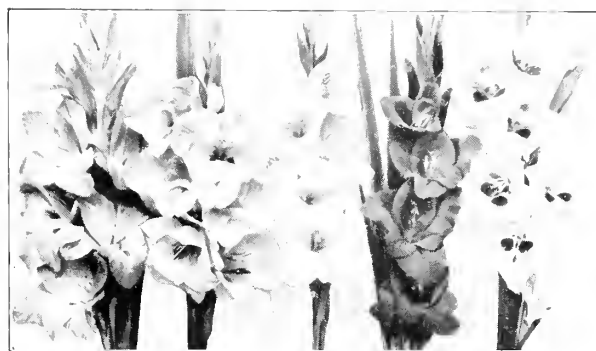
Shipment will be made by express unless instructed to the contrary.

This price list cancels all previous lists and quotations.

We guarantee our bulbs to be true-to-name, and cheerfully replace or refund on any that prove otherwise. If bulbs are not satisfactory when received, return same at once and your money will be promptly returned. Owing to conditions beyond our control, we cannot be in any way responsible for the crops.

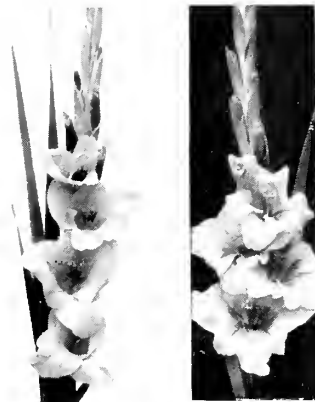


Strong, Vigorous, High Crown Bulbs.



## Packaged Gladiolus Bulbs for Counter Trade

We put up an attractively illustrated box in four colors with planting directions, etc., containing one each of a dozen distinct choice varieties of Gladiolus bulbs, which sell like the proverbial "hot cakes" when displayed on your counter or in your show window. Can furnish these with either large No. 1 size, 1 1/2" and up or No. 2 size bulbs 1 1/4"-1 1/2" Ask for sample and quotation.



## Gladiolus for Forcing

The following varieties of Gladiolus adapt themselves well to forcing, and in selecting bulbs for this purpose we suggest that you give these consideration:

Alice Tiplady. Orange.  
Byron L. Smith. Lavender.  
Chicago White. Early white.  
Early Sunrise. Salmon-pink.  
Elizabeth Tabor. Pink.  
Flaming Sword. Deep red.  
Giant Nymph. Pink.  
Lily White. Pure white.

Los Angeles. Salmon-pink.  
Maiden's Blush. Light pink.  
Mrs. F. Pendleton. Rose-pink.  
Odin. Deep salmon-pink.  
Orange Queen. Apricot-yellow.  
Prince of Wales. Light salmon.  
Souvenir. Pure yellow.  
Virginia. Scarlet-red.

Price per 1000, 100 at 1000 rate:

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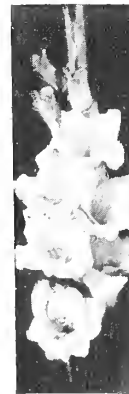
	No. 1 1½" up	No. 2 1¼"-1½"	No. 3 1"-1¼"	No. 4 ¾"-1"	No. 5 ½"-¾"	No. 6 ⅜"-½"
A. B. Kunderd. Creamy pink, ruffled.....	\$ 30.00	\$ 24.00	\$ 19.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 11.00	\$ 7.00
*Alice Tiplady. Orange.....	15.00	12.00	10.00	7.00	4.00	2.00
America. Light pink.....	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	4.00	2.00
Anna Eberius. Rhodamine purple.....	22.00	17.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	4.00
Annie Laurie. Light appleblossom-pink.....	22.00	17.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	4.00
Apricot Glow. Tall, clear apricot.....	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	12.00	7.00
Baron J. Hulot. Violet-blue.....	30.00	24.00	20.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
Berty Snow. Lavender.....	120.00	100.00	80.00	60.00	45.00	30.00
Betty Nuthall. Coral-pink, large and tall.....	120.00	100.00	80.00	60.00	45.00	30.00
*Byron L. Smith. Choice lavender.....	30.00	24.00	20.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
Canberra. Clear yellow.....	400.00	320.00	260.00			
Captain Boynton. Large lavender.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Carmen Sylva. Large fine white.....	25.00	20.00	16.00			
Catherina. Light lavender, dark blotch.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Catherine Coleman. Salmon-pink.....	60.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	22.00	15.00
*Chicago White. Early white.....	16.00	12.00	9.00			
Crimson Glow. Rich crimson.....	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Dr. F. E. Bennett. Brilliant scarlet.....	30.00	24.00	20.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
Dr. Moody. Light lavender.....	80.00	65.00	52.00	40.00	30.00	20.00
*Early Sunrise. Flaming salmon-pink.....	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	12.00	8.00
E. J. Shaylor. Deep rose, ruffled.....	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00	4.00	2.00
Elizabeth Swartley. Clear pink.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
*Elizabeth Tabor. Very early pink.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Evelyn Kirtland. Tall dark pink.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Fay Lanphier. Large rose-pink.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	15.00	11.00	7.00
*Flaming Sword. Early, deep red.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
*Giant Nymph. Very popular tall pink.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Golden Dream. Best golden yellow.....	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	15.00	10.00
Golden Measure. Deep, clear yellow.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Halley. Deep salmon-pink.....	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Herada. Pure mauve.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Hollyhock. Cream-white, ruffled.....	80.00	65.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	20.00
Jenny Lind. Soft apricot-pink.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Joe Coleman. Very good ruffled red.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
La Paloma. New orange, very tall.....	150.00	120.00	100.00	75.00	50.00	30.00
Lavender Bride. Deep lavender-rose.....	90.00	75.00	60.00	45.00	30.00	20.00
Le Marechal Foch. Light pink, early.....	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	4.00	2.00
L' Immaculee. Pure white, tall spikes.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
*Lily White. Pure white.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
*Los Angeles. Salmon-pink, tall spike.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
Louise. Deep lavender.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
*Maidenblush. Very early light pink.....	15.00	12.00	10.00	7.00	4.00	2.00
Marie Kunderd. Very early white, ruffled.....	35.00	28.00	22.00	17.00	12.00	8.00
Marmora. Lavender-gray.....	100.00	80.00	65.00	50.00	36.00	20.00
Mary Pickford. Creamy white.....	22.00	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00
Minuet. Delicate lavender.....	60.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	22.00	15.00

# Gladiolus for Cut Flowers

The best Gladiolus for planting outside for florists' cut flowers are included in the following list. Try some of these next spring:

**Souvenir.** Pure yellow.  
**Orange Queen.** Dark yellow.  
**Marie Kunderd.** White.  
**Mrs. Dr. Norton.** Pink and cream.  
**Giant Nymph.** Light pink.  
**Mrs. Frank Pendleton.** Rose-pink.  
**Nancy Hanks.** Orange.  
**Golden Measure.** Golden yellow.

**Dr. F. E. Bennett.** Scarlet.  
**Mr. W. H. Phipps.** Pink.  
**Betty Nuthall.** Canary-pink.  
**Mrs. H. E. Bothin.** Light pink.  
**Mrs. F. C. Peters.** Lavender.  
**Golden Dream.** Yellow.  
**Mrs. Francis King.** Red.



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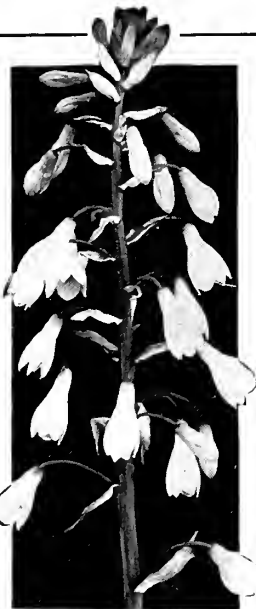
	No. 1 1½" up	No. 2 1¼"-1½"	No. 3 1"-1¼"	No. 4 ¾"-1"	No. 5 ½"-¾"	No. 6 ⅜"-½"
Mr. Mark. Light blue.....	\$ 30.00	\$ 24.00	\$ 18.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 7.00
Mr. W. H. Phipps. Beautiful pink.....	40.00	32.00	26.00	20.00	14.00	9.00
Mrs. Dr. Norton. "Peaches and cream" shade.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
Mrs. Francis King. Light scarlet.....	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
*Mrs. F. Pendleton. Rose-pink.....	18.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	5.00	3.00
Mrs. F. C. Hornberger. Large pure white.....	50.00	40.00	32.00	25.00	18.00	12.00
Mrs. F. C. Peters. Lavender, late.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Mrs. H. E. Bothin. Tall, ruffled, creamy pink.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Mrs. Leon Douglas. Giant pink.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00
Mrs. P. W. Sisson. Clear cameo-pink.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	6.00
Muriel. Deep lavender.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	6.00
Nancy Hanks. Orange, very choice.....	30.00	24.00	19.00			
Nimrod (Dutch variety). Choice pink, early.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
*Odin. Deep salmon-pink.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
*Orange Queen. Apricot-yellow.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	11.00	8.00	4.00
Panama. Deep pink.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
Paul Pfitzer. Velvety purple.....	80.00	65.00	50.00	40.00	30.00	20.00
Peace. Large late white.....	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Persia. Velvety maroon, splendid.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
Pfitzer's Triumph. Large bright salmon-orange.....	100.00	80.00	65.00	50.00	40.00	30.00
Pink Perfection. Large pure pink.....	40.00	32.00	26.00			
Pink Wonder. Giant pale pink.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
*Prince of Wales. Light salmon, early.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
Purple Glory. Velvety maroon, ruffled.....	40.00	32.00	26.00			
Red Canna. Fine, tall red.....	20.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	7.00	4.00
Richard Diener. Lovely salmon-pink.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
1910 Rose. Deep rose-pink, early.....	18.00	14.00	10.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Rose Ash. Ashes of roses.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Royal Lavender. Deep lavender-pink.....	120.00	100.00	80.00	60.00	45.00	30.00
Ruth Huntington. Tall lavender, ruffled.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
Salmon Beauty. Salmon and yellow.....	22.00	17.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00
Schwaben. Sulphur-yellow.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
*Souvenir. Pure yellow, early.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
Sovereign. Improved Baron Hulot.....	35.00	28.00	22.00	16.00	12.00	8.00
Taro. "American Beauty" rose, ruffled.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
The Orchid. Pure orchid.....	40.00	32.00	26.00			
Tycko Zang. Very large salmon-pink.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	5.00	3.00
Veilchenblau. Blue-violet.....	100.00	80.00	65.00			
Venus (White Halley). Early.....	30.00	24.00	18.00	14.00	10.00	7.00
*Virginia. Intense scarlet-red.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.00
War. Deep blood-red, late.....	25.00	20.00	16.00			
W. E. Fryer. Tall, violet-blue.....	25.00	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	5.00
Wilbrinck. Lavender-pink, early.....	18.00	14.00	11.00	8.00	5.00	3.00
Exhibition Mixed. Very choice.....	14.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
Popular Mixed. Well balanced.....	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50



Montbretias.

## MONTBRETIAS (*Tritonia*)

	Per 100	Per 1000
California. Deep golden yellow.....	\$5.00	\$40.00
Crocsmæflora. Scarlet and yellow.....	3.00	20.00
Etoile de Feu. Soft red, with orange throat.....	3.00	20.00
Fire King. Bright scarlet, very showy.....	3.00	20.00
George Davison. Chrome-yellow.....	4.00	35.00
Germaine. Rich, glowing orange-scarlet.....	4.00	35.00
King Edmund. Rich yellow, center blotched carmine.....	4.00	30.00
Lord Nelson. Rich deep crimson-scarlet.....	5.00	40.00
Pottsi. Inside golden, outside red.....	2.00	15.00
Prometheus. Deep orange; crimson ring around eye.....	20.00	
Mixed Colors.....	2.50	20.00



Hyacinthus Candicans.

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	Per 100	Per 1000
2½" diam. and up.....	\$7.50	
2"-2½".....	6.00	55.00
1¾"-2".....	5.00	45.00
1½"-1¾".....	4.00	36.00
1¼"-1½".....	3.00	27.00

### Oxalis Lasiandra

	Per 100	Per 1000
Pink flowering.....	\$1.50	\$10.00

### Tigridia

	Per 100
Mixed colors.....	\$12.00

### Ismene Calathina

(Peruvian Daffodil)

	Per 100
2½" diam. and up....	\$15.00
2"-2½".....	10.00



Oxalis.



Ismene Calathina.



Regal Lilies.

## LILIES

	Per 100
Regal Lilies. 5"-6".....	\$10.00
6"-8".....	15.00
Lilium speciosum rubrum	
magnificum. 8"-9".....	15.00
Lilium Henryi. 8"-9".....	30.00

### Bleeding Heart

(*Dielytra Spectabilis*)

Large clumps.....	25.00
Medium clumps.....	16.00

### Peonies by Color

	Per 100
	3-5 Eyes 5-8 Eyes
White varieties....	\$14.00 \$20.00
Pink varieties.....	14.00 20.00
Red varieties.....	18.00 25.00

Also pleased to quote on named varieties for early spring delivery.



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